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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: John M. Raterman et al.
Serial No.: 10/698,312
Filed: October 31, 2003
Group Art Unit: 3742
Examiner: Mark H. Paschall
Title: HEATED DEVICE AND METHOD OF REDUNDANT
TEMPERATURE SENSING
Confirmation No.: 9805
Atty Docket: NOR-1127

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to withdraw this application from issue in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) so that a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement may be considered in a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 being filed concurrently herewith. A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and RCE transmittal are enclosed as is a check in the amount of \$130.00 for the petition fee under § 1.17(i).

Applicants do not believe that any other fees are due in connection with this submission other than the petition fee and Rce fee. However, if such

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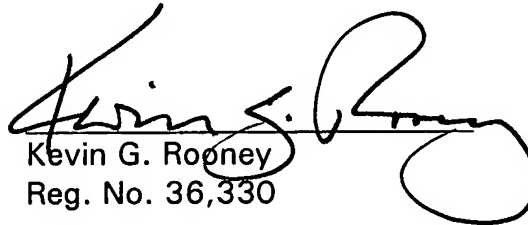
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petition is due or any other fees are necessary, the Commissioner may consider this to be a request for such and charge any necessary fees to deposit account 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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